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American Civil War Homepage – <http://usinfo.state.gov/usa/infousa/facts/linkhist.htm>

This site includes comprehensive information about the American Civil War and links to other American Civil War sites.

Center for Democracy and Citizenship — www.hhh.umn.edu/centers/cdc

Begun at the Humphrey Institute for the development of practical theory about “what works” to engage citizens in public life, to unleash and cultivate people’s public talents, and to renew the public cultures and democratic purposes of service institutions.

CIVICUS: World Alliance for Citizen Participation — <http://www.civicus.org/>

An international alliance of more than 230 members, both organizations and individuals, from 60 countries.

Department of State International Information Program – <http://usinfo.state.gov/>

Formerly known as the United States Information Agency. It is the principal international strategic communications service for the foreign affairs community. IIP designs, develops, and implements a variety of information initiatives and strategic communications programs, including Internet and print publications, traveling and electronically transmitted speaker programs, and information resource services.

FirstGov – <http://www.firstgov.gov/>

The first government website to provide the public with easy, one-stop access to all online U.S. Federal Government resources.

Information USA – <http://usinfo.state.gov/usa/infousa/facts/linkhist.htm>

This is an authoritative resource for foreign audiences seeking information about American society, political processes, official U.S. policies and culture.

National Commission on Civic Renewal — <http://www.puaf.umd.edu/civicrenewal/>

The purpose is to assess the condition of civic engagement in the United States today and to propose specific actions — to be undertaken by the public, private, and voluntary sectors as well as by individuals — that could improve this condition.

Transparency and Civil Society Project – http://ceip.org/files/projects/tcs/tcs_home.ASP

This web site is one of the projects of Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. It includes events, project description, news and publications.

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